

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE PACIFIC AIR FORCES

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALASKA RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD (RAB) ROUNDTABLE ATTENDEES

FROM: PACAF/CEV 25 E Street Suite, G-214 Hickam AFB HI 96853-5420

SUBJECT: Documents from the 2001 Alaska RAB Roundtable

- 1. Thank you for attending the Alaska RAB Roundtable. We were pleased to be able to bring together RAB members, regulators, military personnel and other stakeholders from all over Alaska to share experiences and address common issues associated with the Department of Defense's Environmental Cleanup program in Alaska.
- 2. With this memo, we are providing all Roundtable attendees with the following:
 - a. A bulleted list entitled Stakeholder Input summarizing the topics that were brought up throughout the Roundtable (Atch 1).
 - b. A summary of Stakeholder Issues from the afternoon session where we focused on three "common" issues that seemed to be of interest to most attendance (Atch 2).
 - c. A list of all Roundtable attendees (Atch 3) to facilitate additional communications between attendees; and
 - d. A list of all the comments we received in response to an evaluation form, which was distributed at the Roundtable (Atch 4).

The views and opinions reflected in these attachments reflect the input received during the Roundtable and do not represent official Air Force positions.

- 3. In keeping with a pledge we made at the Roundtable, we will make certain that copies of all the documents listed above are forwarded to the office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for the Environment. This will ensure that the input we received from Stakeholders at the Roundtable is reviewed at a national level.
- 4. During the Roundtable and in the evaluation forms we received, there was a lot of discussions/suggestions regarding the need for an Internet based

electronic bulletin board to facilitate discussions on Alaska clean-up issues. Following the Roundtable, we learned that the Department of Defense through the Defense Technical Information Center maintains such a bulletin board at http://www.dtic.mil/envirodod/rab/bboard.html. This bulletin board has historically been under utilized, and appears to be an excellent mechanism to facilitate discussions on Alaska clean-up issues.

5. Again, we appreciate everyone's participation in the Roundtable. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mr. David Cook, 808-448-6697 or dave.cook@hickam.af.mil.

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Attachments:

- 1. RAB Roundtable Stakeholder Inputs
- 2. RAB Roundtable Stakeholder Issues
- 3. List of RAB Roundtable Attendees
- 4. RAB Roundtable Evaluation Summary